

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Rebecca Castle )  
SERIAL NO.: 10/810,044 ) ) Examiner: E. McAvoy  
FILED: March 26, 2004 ) ) Art Unit: 1764  
TITLED: METHOD FOR LUBRICATING DIAMOND- )  
LIKE CARBON COATED SURFACES )

Atty. Docket No. 2003M001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**RESPONSE**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 4, 2008, the period for response to which has been extended two months through and including August 4, 2008 by concurrently filed petition.

No amendments to the Claims are proffered.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.